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SUBJECT: ACTIVITIES OF DR. GUY RUSSELL PIERCE

1. USDOC HAS RECEIVED INQUIRY FROM LONE STAR GAS ABOUT DR. PIERCE. COMPANY WAS PROVIDED WITH ATTORNEYS LIST AND NIOC ADDRESS. PIERCE'S STATEMENTS TO COMPANY INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

2. WAS CHIEF GEOLOGIST NIOC 1960-65, NOW ACTIVE IN OIL AND GAS PIPELINE DISTRIBUTION AND HAS CLOSE PERSONAL RELATIONSHIPS WITH INFLUENTIAL IRANIANS INCLUDING SHAH AND ABLE TO SECURE CONSULTANT CONTRACTS ON BASIS INSIDE INFLUENCE.

3. DR. PIERCE APPROXIMATE AGE 58 YEARS, AMERICAN CITIZEN, RESIDING MEXICO CITY. RECEIVED BS MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY 1938; MS NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY 1940; PHD IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY 1942. MAJOR FIELD GEOLOGY.

4. WHILE LONE STAR HAS BEEN ADVISED TO INQUIRE DIRECTLY OF NIOC, WE WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION THE EMBASSY, IN ITS DISCRETION, MAY WISH TO PROVIDE ON PIERCE'S

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